cerne and Still persists So to doe whereby the Said Estate is (by his Sinister and Selfe Ends) utterly wasted and Ruined—His Excellency thereon has (in his Majestys Name) thought fitt to declare that he does Suspend and debarr the Said James Cranford from practiceing as an Attorney in all the Courts of this his Majestys Province unless it be to Finish and make an End of what Causes he is att present Concerned in and hee is hereby (in his Majesties name) Debarred his practice Accordingly whereof as well the Justices of the Provinciall as County Courts of this Province and all other persons Concerned are to take due notice and not Suffer him to pleade or undertake any new Causes in any of the Said Courts as they will Answer the Contrary att their perrill.

Signed per Order: Henry Denton Clerk Councill.

The aforesaid Order of his Excellency being Read (it is the opinion of this Court that whereas Mr. James Cranford has not hitherto Appeared to be anywaies Misfeasant in his practice to this Court but if it Shall hereafter Appeare to us that Mr. Cranford has done any thing Contrary to his Duty Shall take all those methods as the Law Shall provide for the punishment of the Same:

Henry Jowles plantiffe: Ninian Beall Defendant.

Prince Georges County Ss. Ninian Beall late of Prince Georges County gentleman was Attached to Answer unto Henry Jowles of a plea of trespass upon the Case etc.

And whereupon the Said Henry by John Meriton his Attorney Complayneth that whereas the Said Henry Jowles and the Said Ninian Beall Did (to witt) upon the 17th day of September in the yeare of our Lord 1694 att the house of the Said Henry Jowles in Calvert County that is to Say att Charles Towne within the Jurisdiction of this Court Account together and upon that [202] Accompt the Said Ninian Beall was found to be in Arrears and Indebted unto the Said Henry Jowles in the Sume of Eight thowsand Eight hundred Seventy four pounds of tobaccoe and the Said Ninian Beall being Soe Indebted unto the Said Henry Jowles Inconsideration thereof the Said Ninian Beall did Assume upon himselfe and to the Said Henry Jowles did then and there faithfully promise that he the Said Ninian Beall the Said Sume of Eight thowsand Eight hundred Seaventy four pounds of tobaccoe to him the Said Henry Jowles when thereunto Required would well and truly Content Sattisfie and pay Nevertheless the Said Ninian Beall his promise and Assumption Soe as aforesaid made Little Regarding but deviseing and Fraudulently Intending him the Said Henry Jowles of the Said Sume of 8874 pounds of tobaccoe to him the Said Henry Jowles as aforesaid due the Said Ninian Beall though often thereunto Required According to his promise and Assumption in that behalfe made hath not paid or any Content for the Same given to the great Damage of him the Said Henry Jowles whereupon he Saith that he is damnified and hath Loss to the Vallue of 9900 pounds of tobaccoe and thereupon he bringeth this Suite.

Pledges etc. John Doe, Richard Roe.

John Meriton.

Ninian Beall Debtor to Col. Henry Jowles per Contra Creditt.

By noate to pay Walter King . . 0535 By noate to pay William Groome 2000